

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE CITATION				Attorney Docket No.: 46884-5432		Serial No.: 10/554,105	
(Use several sheets if necessary)				Applicants Hiroshi AKAHORI et al.		Page 1 of 1	
PTO Form 1449				Filing Date: August 24, 2006		Group Art Unit: 2622	
U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS							
*Examiner Initial		Document Number	Date	Name	Class	Sub Class	Filing Date
		4,367,404	Jan. 4, 1983	Kaye			
		5,453,610	Sep. 26, 1995	Gibbons			
		5,512,755	Apr. 30, 1996	Vickers et al.			
		5,637,959	Jun. 10, 1997	Kyushima et al.			
		5,880,457	Mar. 9, 1999	Tomiyama et al.			
		6,177,665	Jan. 23, 2001	Wolf			
		6,841,936	Jan. 11, 2005	Keller et al.			
		7,030,355	Apr. 18, 2006	Bochenski et al.			
FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS							
		Document Number	Date	Country	Class	Sub Class	<u>Translation</u> YES NO
							Abstract
OTHER DOCUMENTS							
(Include name of the author (in CAPITAL LETTERS), title of the article (when appropriate), title of the item (book, magazine, journal, serial, symposium, catalog, etc.) date, page(s), volume-issue number(s), publisher, city and/or country where published.)							
Examiner /Jason Flohre/				Date Considered 12/09/2008			
Examiner: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609; draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.							

ALL REFERENCES CONSIDERED EXCEPT WHERE LINED THROUGH. /J.F./